

St Joseph Catholic Church



Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 22, 2022

May the peoples praise you, O God;
may all the peoples praise you!

— Psalm 67:6

Whoever loves me
will keep my word,
and my Father
will love them,
and we will come
to them and make our
dwelling with them.

John 14:23

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Welcome to Visitors & New Members

You are welcome to worship with us at any time. If you are new to the Randolph County area, may we invite you to register as a member of the parish. Registration forms are available in parking lot vestibule or by calling the office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Sacramento de la Reconciliación

Saturday/Sabado

1:00pm-3:00pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION/ ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA
FIRST FRIDAY/ PRIMER VIERNES 9AM- 5AM

Mass Schedule/ Misas

Saturday/Sabado: 4:00 PM English

6:00 PM Spanish

Sunday/ Domingo: 7:00 AM Español

9:00 AM English

12:00 PM Español

4:00 PM Español

Weekly Masses/ Monday and Friday 8:15 AM

Misas entre semana Wednesday 6:00 PM

Thursday 7:00 AM

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From the Pastor's Desk / Del Escritorio del Padre

In our catholic tradition prayer is basic to our faith life. This can be personal prayer, family prayer or prayer of several persons gathered together like the church community or prayer groups. Of all these the most important one is personal prayer. Prayer is the way to maintain our communion with God. If we do not have an aptitude for personal prayer we will not enjoy other forms of prayer.

Personal prayer is something that we learn from our infancy. Parents, especially mothers have the greatest impact on this. It starts when the child is very little. Show the baby pictures of Jesus, Mary, Joseph and other saints. Help them talk to Jesus.

Help them touch the picture of Jesus and bless them. Many such ways of giving a personal attachment and trust in the person of Jesus. Have beautiful picture of Jesus in the child's room. Develop a personal attachment to Jesus through such practices on a regular basis.

Children should see parents and the whole family love Jesus and pray to Him regularly. Good devotional children come from such faith driven families. Children will remember what they see and experience while growing up. They may not remember what you told them.

When you bring children to church don't do like taking them to the park or the shopping mall with a bunch of eatables, toys and such entertainment times. You must prepare them ahead by telling them that you are going to see Jesus and pray to Him and to enjoy His presence at the church.

Instruct them how to behave and how to pray and especially how devout and prayerful one has to be. Help them to praise and thank Him and to offer every prayers to Him.

Mothers have the most influence on children's spirituality.

Please by all means do not let your children become a victim of social media. That is the most dangerous addiction today that destroys our children. Please find Bible stories and stories about Jesus and saints so that our children will grow with catholic attitude and mindset.

Occasionally check with them whether they prayed to Jesus and loved Him more on that day.

God bless you all

En nuestra tradición católica, la oración es básica para nuestra vida de fe. Puede ser oración personal, oración familiar u oración de varias personas reunidas como la comunidad de la iglesia o grupos de oración. De todos estos, el más importante es la oración personal. La oración es el camino para mantener nuestra comunión con Dios. Si no tenemos aptitud para la oración personal no disfrutaremos de otras formas de oración.

La oración personal es algo que aprendemos desde nuestra infancia. Los padres, especialmente las madres, tienen el mayor impacto en esto.

Comienza cuando el niño es muy pequeño.

Muestre las fotos de bebés de Jesús, María, José y otros santos. Ayúdalos a hablar con Jesús. Ayúdalos a tocar la imagen de Jesús y bendícelos. Muchas de estas formas de dar un apego personal y confianza en la persona de Jesús. Tenga una hermosa imagen de Jesús en la habitación del niño. Desarrolle un apego personal a Jesús a través de tales prácticas de manera regular. Los niños deben ver a los padres ya toda la familia amar a Jesús y orarle regularmente.

Los buenos hijos devotos provienen de tales familias impulsadas por la fe. Los niños recordarán lo que ven y experimentan mientras crecen. Es posible que no recuerden lo que les dijiste.

Cuando traiga niños a la iglesia, no le guste llevarlos al parque o al centro comercial con un montón de comestibles, juguetes y otros entretenimiento. Debe prepararlos con anticipación diciéndoles que va a ver a Jesús y orarle y disfrutar de Su presencia en la iglesia. Enséñales cómo comportarse y cómo orar y especialmente cuán devotos y orantes deben ser. Ayúdalos a alabarle y agradecerle ya ofrecerle todas las oraciones.

Las madres tienen la mayor influencia en la espiritualidad de los niños.

Por favor, no permita que sus hijos se conviertan en víctimas de las redes sociales. Esa es la adicción más peligrosa hoy en día que destruye a nuestros hijos. Encuentre historias bíblicas e historias sobre Jesús y los santos para que nuestros hijos crezcan con una actitud y una mentalidad católicas.

Ocasionalmente verifique con ellos si oraron a Jesús y lo amaron más ese día.

Dios los bendiga a todos

The second reading from Revelations gives us a picture of the new Jerusalem as a sign of the power and majesty of God. Yet the other two readings seem to describe a humble God who wishes "not to place on you any burden beyond . . . necessity" (Acts 15:28), and Jesus in the Gospel tells his disciples that "the Holy Spirit that the Father will send in my name . . . will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you" (John 14:26). This gentleness reminds me of an icon by the Russian monk Andrei Rublev that depicts the Trinity as three angels bowing in deference to each other. This humility may be what moved Jesus to say that "the Father is greater than I" (John 14:28). It is certainly a unique way of understanding God.

I used to think of free will as God's way of testing our worthiness for the kingdom of heaven. But it is more likely part of that same humility, God not being forced on us. While we are given ways to know God, especially through the scriptures and the witness of those who went before us in faith, God leaves us free to believe or not, to love God or not.

So does this mean God leaves us on our own to get through life? No, he gives us the Holy Spirit to teach and remind us of all that Jesus said. That "reminding" is an important way the Spirit helps us today. You may have spent years in religion classes or the RCIA process. When you need an answer to life's questions, the Spirit may remind you of something you heard from a teacher or read in the scriptures.

As you pray over that question, the Spirit may help you understand how the scripture applies to you. So the more you read the Bible, the more likely that the Spirit will have something of which to remind you.

MASS SCHEDULE: Week of 5/22/2022

- Mon 5/23** 8:15am St Joseph Glory & Intentions
by Albert Hodges
- Wed 5/25** 6:00pm †Merced Lopez by Familia Jasso
- Thurs 5/26** 7:00am St Joseph Glory & Intentions
by Albert Hodges
- Fri 5/27** 8:15am Special Intentions by Albert Hodges
- Sat 5/28** 12:00pm Miranda Juarez *Quinceanera*
4:00pm †Ardist Holyfield Jr.
by Holyfield Family
6:00pm Edgar Perez
by Familia Perez Dominguez
- Sun 5/29** 7:00am †Alex Alcaraz by Familia Duran
9:00am †Jim McCleary by St Joseph Choir
12:00pm †Almas del Purgatorio
by Cecilia Arellano
4:00pm †Jose Pedro Romero
by Familia Romero



Saturday 1:00PM-3:00PM

BIRTHDAY LIST

- 5/23** Cristina Hurtado Ruiz, Patricia Ruiz Almanza, Abigail Mendoza, Gustavo Pasillas, Julio Ruiz, Miguel Tejada, Monica Vargas
- 5/24** Natalia Acuna, Erika Alejo Valdez, Maribel Alvarez Salas, Sara Joy Cornelison, Zachary Higgins, Esteban Ruiz, Marbella Tejada, Eric Torres Salinas, Alondra Vazquez
- 5/25** Julisa Abonza, Amparo Avila Avila, Joshua Bringas, Jennifer Cruz Jimenez, Miledy Espinoza, Jesus Inzunza, Juana Maldonado, Juana Morales, Ana Lucia Pasillas, Edgar Perez, Gloria Stellwag, Dena Troup
- 5/26** Katherine Garcia, Pedro Jaimes, Ana Jasmine Perez, Ruben Toledo Mondragon, Monica Torres
- 5/27** Gina Barton, Nicolas Jimenez, Sarah Post, Silvia Reyes, Melissa Zepeda
- 5/28** Agustin Arellano, Sofia Avalos Valencia, Jose Manuel Fernandez, Monica Inzunza, Sergio Jaimes, Juventino Ramos, Yazmin Palacios
- 5/29** Juan Angel Canuto, Victor Jr Dominguez, Ian Guereca, Alondra Rosado



Have a Very Blessed Birthday



WEEKLY OFFERINGS: 5/15/2022

Offertory: \$4,410.00

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The question of whether circumcision is necessary for salvation (Acts 15:1-2, 22-29).

Psalms — O God, let all the nations praise you! (Psalm 67).

Second Reading — John envisions the holy city, the new Jerusalem (Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23) or Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20.

Gospel — The Holy Spirit, sent by the Father in Jesus' name, will teach us everything (John 14:23-29) or John 17:20-26.

READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday:	Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26 — 16:4a
Tuesday:	Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday:	Acts 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15
Thursday:	Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53 (for Ascension); otherwise Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20
Friday:	Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-7; Jn 16:20-23
Saturday:	Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28
Sunday:	Acts 7:55-60; Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9; Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20; Jn 17:20-26 or (for Ascension) Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Sixth Sunday of Easter
Monday:	Victoria Day (Canada)
Wednesday:	St. Bede the Venerable; St. Gregory VII; St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi
Thursday:	The Ascension of the Lord (unless transferred to Sunday); St. Philip Neri
Friday:	St. Augustine of Canterbury

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera Lectura — La cuestión de si los gentiles necesitaban ser circuncidados para salvarse (Hch 15:1-2, 22-29).

Salmo — Oh Dios, que todos los pueblos te alaben (Salmo 67 [66]).

Segunda lectura — Juan tiene una visión de la ciudad santa, la nueva Jerusalén (Apocalipsis 21:10-14, 22-23) o Apocalipsis 22:12-14, 16-17, 20.

Evangelio — El Espíritu Santo, enviado por el Padre en nombre de Jesús, nos enseñará todo (Juan 14:23-29) o Juan 17:20-26.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes:	Hch 16:11-15; Sal 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26 — 16:4a
Martes:	Hch 16:22-34; Sal 138 (137):1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11
Miércoles:	Hch 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Sal 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15
Jueves:	Hch 1:1-11; Sal 47 (46):2-3, 6-9; Ef 1:17-23 o Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23; Lc 24:46-53 (para la Ascensión); o Hch 18:1-8; Sal 98 (97):1-4; Jn 16:16-20
Viernes:	Hch 18:9-18; Sal 47 (46):2-7; Jn 16:20-23
Sábado:	Hch 18:23-28; Sal 47 (46):2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28
Domingo:	Hch 7:55-60; Sal 97 (96):1-2, 6-7, 9; Ap 22:12-14, 16-17, 20; Jn 17:20-26 o (para la Ascensión) Hch 1:1-11; Sal 47 (46):2-3, 6-9; Ef 1:17-23 o Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23; Lc 24:46-53

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo:	Sexto Domingo de Pascua
Lunes:	Día de la Reina Victoria (Canadá)
Miércoles:	San Beda el Venerable; San Gregorio VII; Santa María Magdalena de Pazzi
Jueves:	La Ascensión del Señor (a menos que sea transferida al domingo); San Felipe Neri
Viernes:	San Agustín de Canterbury

ORACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

Sexto Domingo de Pascua

Dios todopoderoso,
 concédenos continuar celebrando
 con incansable amor
 estos días de tanta alegría en honor
 del Señor resucitado,
 y que los misterios que hemos
 venido conmemorando
 se manifiesten siempre en nuestras obras.
 Por nuestro Señor Jesucristo, tu Hijo,
 que vive y reina contigo en la unidad
 del Espíritu Santo
 y es Dios por los siglos de los siglos.

Reflexión:

¿Qué significa para mí dar fruto para el reinado de Dios?

VOLVER A LA VIDA ORDINARIA

Seis semanas después de la celebración de la Pascua, la Iglesia nos da las lecturas de hoy que empiezan a prepararnos para regresar a la vida ordinaria. Tanto las del libro de los Hechos de los Apóstoles como el Evangelio se fijan en el comportamiento cotidiano de los seguidores de Jesús, mientras que la lectura del Apocalipsis nos recuerda por qué nos agobiamos por las leyes. En los Hechos, los líderes de la Iglesia se reúnen para comentar qué elementos esenciales de la Ley de Moisés deben obedecer los conversos si desean ser discípulos de Jesucristo. El Evangelio de Juan se remota al discurso de la Última Cena, cuando el propio Jesús subraya la importancia de obedecer los mandamientos de Dios. Observar la ley de Dios, dice Jesús, muestra el deseo de intimar con el Señor. Seguimos las normas no por sí mismas, sino para amar mejor a Dios y al prójimo. Este amor más excelente nos acerca a la visión del paraíso del libro del Apocalipsis, resplandeciente con “el esplendor de Dios”. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Grant, almighty God,
 that we may celebrate with heartfelt devotion
 these days of joy,
 which we keep in honor of the risen Lord,
 and that what we relive in remembrance
 we may always hold to in what we do.
 Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
 who lives and reigns with you
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
 God, for ever and ever.

Reflection:

¿Cómo puedo participar más plenamente en la

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PEACE I LEAVE WITH
 YOU; MY PEACE I GIVE
 TO YOU.

RETURNING TO ORDINARY LIFE

Six weeks into our Easter rejoicing, the Church gives us readings today that start preparing us for a return to ordinary life. The Acts of the Apostles and the Gospel both dwell on proper daily behavior for followers of Jesus, while the reading from Revelation reminds us why we bother with laws at all. In Acts, leaders of the church meet to discuss which essential elements of the Mosaic Law converts must obey if they wish to be disciples of Jesus Christ. John's Gospel reflects back to the Last Supper discourse when Jesus himself emphasizes the importance of obeying God's commandments. Observing God's law, says Jesus, shows a desire to be intimate with the Lord. We follow rules not for their own sake, but to love God and neighbor better. This more excellent love brings us closer to Revelation's vision of paradise, gleaming with “the splendor of God.” Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

† Sacraments †

****Sacrament of Baptism**—Baptism is a highly sacred event and deserves careful and complete readiness. Please contact the church office (336-629-0221) to register for the Baptism Preparation Class, which is done on a regular basis. Parents must be registered and participating members of our parish community

****Sacrament of Marriage** - Couples should contact the Pastor (336-629-0221) at least 6 months prior to the wedding date for necessary preparation.

****Ministry of the Sick**— Please call the church office (336-629-0221) to inform us of an illness or hospitalization of a family member. Federal Privacy Law prohibits the hospital from giving room numbers, so we must have prior knowledge of a patient's room number before we visit the hospital. The Sacrament of Anointing is done upon request prior to surgery or a illness.



****Prayers for our Military**—please call the office (336-629-0221) to notify us of their Military Status

Out of respect for the Liturgy in which we partake, please turn off or mute all cell phones and pagers as you enter the Sanctuary of Our Lord. If your Children are acting up, please take them to the cry room in order not to disrupt the liturgy for others.



Calling all young men ages 10-18. Are you looking to grow in your faith, learn to become a community leader, or help your community and church all while having fun with other Catholic young man? Well, the Columbian Squires are looking for new members. The Columbian Squires is part of the Knights of Columbus family. For more information please have a parent contact Grand Knight Jason Kroeger at 336-301-4418



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

*The Knights are looking for new members to join their brotherhood. If interested please contact the church office and a Knight will return your call



COLUMBIETTES:

The St. Joseph Columbiettes – Auxiliary 10891 would like to extend an invitation to all the ladies of the parish to join our organization. If you are interested in joining or would like more information, please contact the church office. A current Columbiette will return your call.



WE THANK
THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
FOR THE STRIPING OF
THE CHURCH PARKING LOT

PRAYERS FOR OUR PARISHIONERS & THEIR FAMILIES

Please take a moment to pray for our parishioners needs, illness, persona problems and our young men serving our country:

Christopher Gardner, Lillian Hazelwood, Colleen Greene, Flora Smith, Gary Hutchins, Jose Espiallet, Monica Smith, Patrick Guarion, Raphael Guriel, Josefina Arellano, JR Newsome, Mary Matthews, Sara Dunmeyer's daughter, Donald Hills, Robert Barker, Mary Poremba, Sharon Derosi, Chester Devarney, Ernest Devarney, Albert Trapani, Luis Saavedra, Don Troup, Phyllis Morrison, Harry Chriscoe



Military: Adolfo Angel Vasquez, Matthew Bryant, Angela Salinas Ruiz

Seminarians & Religious: Jose Palma, Kevin Martinez, & Jessica Palma

SEXTO DOMINGO

DE

Pascua

KOC

The Knights of Columbus will be having a Yard Sale on Friday June 3rd from noon - 5 PM and Saturday June 4th from 8 AM - 2 PM . Start gathering items to donate. All items for the Yard Sale can be dropped off in the Red Shed House

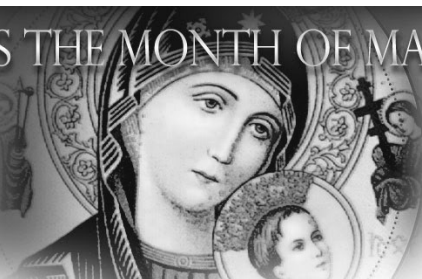
CHURCH
YARD
SALE

The Rosary

Also called the Psalter of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Rosary is one of the most excellent prayers to the Mother of God. Thus, "the Roman Pontiffs have repeatedly exhorted the faithful to the frequent recitation of this biblically inspired prayer which is centered on contemplation of the salvific events of Christ's life, and their close association with the Virgin Mother."

MAY IS THE MONTH OF MARY

HOLY MARY
MOTHER OF GOD,
PRAY FOR US



SAINTS FUN FACTS

Saint Philip Neri dedicated his life to God. He spent 13 years involved in prayer and building relationships with people from all walks of life.



He lived his private life as a hermit, unknown to all around him. He spent much time in prayer in the catacombs and only ate bread and water, sometimes sprinkled with herbs.

St. Philip Neri was a Christian missionary and founder of the Congregation of the Oratory, a community of Catholic priests and lay brothers. He was born in Florence on July 21, 1515 as one of four children to Francesco Neri.

From a very young age, Philip was known for being cheerful and obedient. He was affectionately referred to as "good little Phil."

He received his early teachings from friars at the Dominican monastery in Florence, San Marco.

At 18-years-old, Philip went off to live with a wealthy family member in San Germano. He was sent there to assist in - and possibly inherit - the family business. However, soon after his arrival, Philip experienced a mystical vision, which he eventually spoke of as his Christian conversion. This event was an encounter with the Lord and it dramatically changed his life.

He soon lost interest in owning property or participating in business. He felt a call from the Holy Spirit to radically live for and serve the Lord Jesus Christ and His Church.

RECYCLING

The Youth Group is collecting aluminum cans, tin cans, and other metal items for recycling to support the Youth Group activities. Please leave your items by the shed in the corner of the parking lot. Thank you in advance for separating the cans into separate bags for aluminum and steel. Steel items like old fry pans, basketball hoops, poles, tools, shovels, tire rims etc. can be turned in for cash. Please donate. Thank you.



RECICLANDO

El Grupo de Jovenes es recogiendo latas de aluminio, latas de comida o cualquier otro metal para apoyar las actividades del Grupo Juvenil. Por favor deposite los articulos que usted tenga a la esquina de la casita.

Gracias a los que ponen en bolsa separadas el aluminio y el acero.

Articulos de acero como sartenes viejos, herramientas, palas etc.. Se convierten en efectivo. Porfavor Done. Muchas Gracias.



Please print and send 150 copies.

Than you for the help and assistance